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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: A METHOD FOR REPLICATING A SURFACE  
RELIEF AND AN ARTICLE FOR HOLDING A  
SURFACE RELIEF

Examiner: M. R. Jackson

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated July 26, 2005, the due date for response having been petitioned to be extended three months to January 26, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted along with a Request for Continued Examination in connection with the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.